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JW Marriott, New Orleans, LA

Uniting the fields of transportation and emergency management to further advance and improve evacuation planning to accommodate the needs of all people before, during and after a major disaster.

Top 10 Reasons to Attend

10. You will have an active hand in **shaping the future** for emergency management and preparedness. Be there to share your experiences and opinions!
9. Be there to hear the Administrator of FEMA Region VI speak! **Tony Russell**, the recently appointed FEMA Region VI Regional Administrator, will be the keynote opener for the conference.
8. **Network** with some of the leading experts on this topic! You will have ample opportunity to connect with a wide range of experienced emergency management professionals and academics.
7. Be there to hear stories from our diverse lineup of **keynote speakers**. You will hear from such experts as Dr. Earl "Jay" Baker, Mark Cooper, Richard Devylder, General Russel Honoré, Rear Admiral Mary Landry, Betty Morrow, Jim Schwab, and John Vaughn.
6. Katrina who? It's no coincidence this conference will be held in New Orleans, a city that faced severe evacuation issues a mere 4 years ago. What better place to discuss the future of emergency management and evacuation? Did we mention the conference is held in the season of one of Louisiana's most beloved traditions.....**Mardi Gras!**
5. **General Russel Honoré** will be present to autograph his book "Survival: How a Culture of Preparedness Can Save America and You from Disasters." His book will be available for purchase at the conference as well.
4. Whether you're a Practitioner or Academic, from the Public or Private Sector, you'll find your niche at this conference. **Tailor your conference experience** to suit your interests! A variety of tracks will be offered including Evacuation Modeling, Communication and Behavior, Animals in Evacuation, Carless and Vulnerable Populations, Legal, and Evacuation Policy.
3. Listen to one of **New Orleans' best jazz bands** at our AARP® Welcome Reception, where you can meet and greet other attendees, speakers, and hosts.
2. The conference hotel, the JW Marriott, is only minutes away from the famous **French Quarter** and its historic landmarks such as Café Du Monde, Jackson Square, and Bourbon Street. Don't miss this unique opportunity to experience The Big Easy!
1. **Gumbo, Jambalaya, Crawfish Etouffee, Po-Boys, Red Beans & Rice, Beignets, Boiled Seafood, Bread Pudding**....Need I say more?

**What are you waiting for?
Register Today!**

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